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From MONDAY *November* 9th, *to* MONDAY *November* 16th, 1747.

Mr. *Timothy*,

Please to insert the inclosed Letter to Mr. *Whitefield* in your next Gazette, and oblige

Nov. 14, 1747. *Your constant Reader*, &c.

To the Reverend Mr. George Whitefield.

Rev. Sir,

YOUR own and Agent's *Affidavits*, relating to the Affair of the *Appeal*, were published in the SOUTH-CAROLINA GAZETTE (N°. 632) 5th *May* 1746, with these following *Remarks*, viz.

'I. BY the Lord Mayor of *London*'s Attestation it appears, that 'the above *Affidavits* were taken before him, by Virtue 'of an Act of Parliament of *Great Britain*, for the Recovery of 'Debts due in *America*: But as the said *Affidavits* say nothing of 'any Debts due in *America*, how they tend to the Recovery of 'any such Debts, or whether his Lordship had any Authority to 'take the above *Affidavits* under Colour of that Act, the Gentle'men of the Law must determine. But,

'II. The *main* End it seems of these *Affidavits*, as given out 'before they publickly appeared, is to vindicate Mr. *Whitefield* 'from the Charge of neglecting to prosecute his Appeal in due 'Time, and pursuant to the Oath he had taken. But, alass! as 'they now appear, it is but too manifest, that they can answer no 'such End.—Mr. *Whitefield* made Oath in open Court here be'fore the *Commissary*, the 19th of *July* 1740, "*That he would* "bona Fide *prosecute the Appeal then by him interpos'd, and* "*return an authentic Certificate of the Prosecution of the same* "*into the Court here, within the Space of* Twelve *Months from* "*that Date*" — *Did he comply with this Oath?* No. Do 'the *Affidavits* clear up the Matter, by shewing it was not in his 'Power? No such Thing. They are defective for this Purpose, 'in two the *main* and most *essential* Particulars, *viz.* The proper *Manner* of Application to the Lords of Appeal, and the *Time* when. They indeed set forth and affirm, that several Applica'tions were made by *Himself* and *Agent* to the said Lords for a 'Hearing. But was this a *proper Manner* of Application to them? No. He ought to have applied by practising *Civilians*, his Coun'cil learned in the Law, who knew how to apply and proceed in 'all such Cases. But supposing the Applications affirm'd had been *proper*; do the *Affidavits* set forth and affirm, that those Appli'cations were made in *due Time*, i.e. within the *Juratory Term*? 'Not a Word of this Matter: The *Dates* throughout are care'fully avoided. So that for ought that appears from the *Affida'vits*, the Applications which they affirm, might have been made in *April* or *May* 1744, almost *Three* Years after the *Juratory Term* 'was expired, and when the Cause did not lie before their Lord'ships; and consequently Mr. *Whitefield* could have no Hearing 'upon it. Upon the whole, as it neither appears from the *Affida'vits*, that Application was made to the Lords of Appeal in a *proper* 'Manner, by Council learned in the Law, as it ought to have 'been; nor whether the Applications affirmed were made within 'the *Juratory Term*, or after the *same* was expired; it is plain, 'that they are therefore of no Signification or Validity, for the 'End or Purpose above mentioned.

To these Remarks no Answer has yet appeared, which I must impute to their not coming sooner to your Hands; but now that you are on the Spot, I make no Doubt, but that you will forthwith give them a full and honest Answer, by ascertaining the MANNER, but more especially the TIME, of your Application for a Hearing; and thereby obviate the Insinuation of the Remarks (which sticks with many People) as if the Affidavits were evasive, in not specifying, whether the affirmed Applications were made in due TIME, that is, within the JURATORY TERM, when you had a *Right* to a Hearing, or after the said TERM was expired, when you had *none*; the Cause being then no longer before the Lords of Appeal, but reverted to the Court in *Carolina*. —— Your clearing up this dark Affair, one Way or other, will greatly oblige all your Friends, and more particularly

South-Carolina, 9*ber* 14th, 1747. *Your most assured Friend and Servant*, W. R.

LONDON, *August* 7.

COunt *Bentinck*, a near Relation of the Duke of *Portland*, and one of the States of *Holland*, arriv'd in Town with a grand Retinue, upon some very important Affairs. On the 12th he was introduced to his Majesty at *Kensington*, by the Right Hon. the Earl of *Chesterfield*; where he staid several Hours: And on the 15th he dined with their Graces the Duke and Dutchess of *Newcastle*, at their Seat at *Claremont* in *Surry*.

A curious Monument is erected in the North-Isle of *Westminster-Abbey*, by Mr. *Scheemakir*, to the Memory of the late Sir *Charles Wager*, Knt. with the following Inscription.

To the Memory of
Sir CHARLES WAGER, Knt.
Admiral of the White,
First Commissioner of the Admiralty,
And Privy Councellor;
A Man of great Natural Talents,
Improv'd by Industry and long Experience;
who bore the highest Commands,
And passed thro' the greatest Employments,
With Credit to himself,
And Honour to his Country.
He was, in his private Life,
Human, Temperate, Just, and Bountiful;
In publick Station,
Valiant, Prudent, Wise and Honest;
Easy of Access to all,
Steady and Resolute in his Conduct;
So remarkably happy in his Presence of Mind,
That no Danger ever discomposed him.
Esteemed and Favoured by his King,
Belov'd and Honour'd by his Country,
He died the 24th of *May*, 1743, Aged 77.

LONDON, *August* 18.

We hear that Count Bentinck will set out in a few Days for Holland, and from thence, with the Earl of Sandwich, immediately proceed to the Court of Berlin, with a Commission of the greatest Importance.

Orders are sent to his Majesty's several Yards, Docks, &c. for equipping the Ships of War with all Expedition, in order for their being mann'd and victualled. 'Tis said they are intended for Channel Service, but under whose Command is not yet known.

The Lords of the Admiralty have ordered all the Fire-Ships and Bomb Vessels to be converted into Sloops of War of fourteen Guns.

The Workmen work Night and Day at Blackwall, &c. to fit out the fourteen Indiamen which are to sail with Admiral Boscawen

wen's Squadron, each of which will carry forty Guns, and 280 Men, viz. 180 Seamen, and 100 Marines.

The Hester, Capt. Bradshaw, bound for Figuera from Carolina, is taken by the French.

On Tuesday three of his Majesty's Messengers were dispatch'd from his Grace the Duke of Newcastle's Office, with Expresses to the Hague, Vienna and Berlin.

It's said, that the French at Dunkirk, and the adjacent Places, are raising prodigious Magazines, but for what Purpose at present cannot be conjectur'd.

They write from Ratisbon, that the famous Count Seckendorf, who served as Field-Marshal under the two late Emperors, Charles VI, and Charles VII, has been invited to enter into the Pay of their present Imperial Majesties, with an Offer of Ten Thousand Florins per Mensem, which he has accepted; that his Baggage has been ordered from Saxony, together with his Field-Equipage, for Vienna, where he is expected in Person by the Middle of the Month of September, and that it is believed he will have a considerable Command.

All our Letters from the Hague agree, that the new Council of War is like to become a very formidable Tribunal. They have already summoned before them all the Officers of what Rank soever, that have served in the Dutch Garisons, which have surrendered to France, have demanded a Justification of their Conduct, with an Account of the Instructions they received, and Copies of all Orders that were delivered to them in Writing, by which it is supposed various dark Secrets will be brought to Light, or at least such Openings made, as may lead to Enquiries of the greatest Importance. Some Letters say, that very great Discoveries have been made already; and that some of the Emissaries of France have been privately arrested.

Mr. Benjamin Robins, a Gentleman well known for his great Skill in the Mathematicks and Fortification, set out this Morning for the Hague, at the Request of his Royal Highness the Prince of Orange, in order to be employed at Bergen-op-Zoom, which we can truly say must be a great Pleasure to every Person that knows him, or has the least Regard to their Country's Interest.

Yesterday came Advice, that the Bellona Man of War commanded by the Hon. Capt. Barrington, has taken and brought into Mountsbay, a French outward bound East-India Ship, called the Duke de Chartres, of 32 Guns and 184 Men, after a very smart Engagement of three Hours, the greatest Part of which was Yard-Arm and Yard-Arm. Both the Ships are so shattered, that Capt. Barrington was obliged to put into the first Port he could make.

Yesterday came an Account, that Commodore Acton, with the Kingston, Cumberland and Hardwick Privateers, has taken 3 Dutch Ships, one of which was bound from the Canaries to Cadiz, having on board a large Quantity of Treasure, taken out of Hector East-India Ship from the South-Seas, and 400 Hogsheads of Wine, &c. which Prize only is valued at 400,000 l.

CHARLES-TOWN, *November* 16.

On Wednesday last arriv'd here Capts. *Keigwin* and *Sanders* from *Fredrica* in *Georgia*; Capt. *Keigwin*, who was Master of the *Carolina-Packet*, of and for *Bristol* for this Port) sailed from hence on 9th of *August* last, in Company with the Ship *James*, *Samuel Ball*, of and for *Topsham*, and Snow *George*, *Lawrence Elmes*, of and for *Cowes*, and were all taken on the 12th, about 45 Leagues E. of this Bar, by a *Spanish* Privateer Sloop from the *Havanna*, of 6 Carriage 8 Swivels Guns and 60 Men: the *James* and *Carolina* were carried into *St. Augustine*, but the *George* is supposed to have founder'd. The Ship *Grouch*, Capt. *Halfe*, and Ship *York*, Capt. *Sanders*, both from *Virginia* for *Bristol*, a Brigt. cut out of *Okeracock* Inlet, a Schooner from *Jamaica* for *Cape Fair*, and the *Charming Nelly* of this Port, are also taken, and carried to *St. Augustine*, but the *Grouch* is lost on that Bar. Our Informant left *St. Augustine*, with some others, the 26th ult. and arrived at *Fredrica* the 31st, where they met with such kind and civil Treatment from Col. *Oglethorpe*, that they bestow the highest Encomiums on that Gentleman. Capt. *Keigwin* says, *Cotterell* was to sail the 20th ult. from *Augustine*, to cruize on this Coast, in a Sloop of 6 Carriage and 10 Swivel Guns; and that the Sloop that took him, *Bull* and *Elmes* was also sail'd a few Days before.

Since our last there is Advice, that the bad Weather we had here some Weeks ago, has been severely felt at *Antigua*, *Montserrat*, *Nevis*, *St. Kitts*, &c. where many Vessels have been lost, and many Souls have perished. And, that several Vessels are ashore on the *Florida* Coast.

A large *Dutch* Ship, which, we are told, was taken in the Bay of *Campeachy*, by the *Jamaica* [illegible] Galley (Capt. *Christie*) arrived off this Bar; whether she will be a Prize or no is not certainly known.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, Charles-Town, *Enter'd Inwards.*

Ship Hampshire, Thomas Chisman, from Newfoundland.
Brigt. Charming Nancy, Arthur Gould, from London.
Brigt. Kitty, John Jopson, from Bristol.
Sloop Ruby, Stephen Beak,
Sloop Endeavour, Nathaniel Bell,
Sloop Nonpareil, John Dickinson,
Sloop Joseph & John, Samuel Stovell, and
Sloop Delight, James Conyers, from Bermuda
Sloop Antilope, Thomas Hogg, from Cape-Fear.

Entered Outwards.

Ship John & Anne, William Owston, for Cowes.
Ship Hasgarth, Philip Skinner,
Ship Industry, John Williamson,
Ship Dorothy, George Ellis,
Billander Mary, Peter Bostock,
Brigt. Elk, John Nutt, and
Brigt. Charming Nancy, Arthur Gould, for London.
Brigt. Diligence, John Froad, for Lisbon.
Sloop Sea-Flower, Peter Gibbs, and
Sloop Adventure, Thomas Kimber, for Jamaica

Clear'd for Departure.

Ship Loyal Judith, James Cowie, to London.
Ship Jupiter, Jonathan Pearce, to Mountserrat.
Brigt. Yucatan, Andrew Knox, to Boston.
Brigt. Nancy & Betsey, Joseph Hutchins, to Barbados.
Sloop Mercury, Isaac Colcock, to Providence,
Sloop Happy-go-lucky, Luke Kiersted, to New-York.
Sloop Dolphin, Amos Masservy, to Philadelphia.
Sloop Anne, Duncan Ingraham, and
Sloop Hopewell, Seth Crane, to Rhode-Island.

Market Price at Charlestown, of the following Goods, of the Produce and Manufacture of this Province.

Rice per 100 Wt.	47 *s.* 0	Indigo,	20 *s.*
Pitch per Barrel,	35 *s.* 0	Deer-Skins per *lb.*	16 *s.*
Tar,	30 *s.*	Corn per Bushel,	15 *s.* 0
Turpentine,	10 *s.*	Peale,	10 *s.* 0
Rosin,	8 *s.*	Ballad Gal per Quart,	12 *s.* 6

ADVERTISEMENTS.

A very good Billiard Table, and some Houshold Furniture, belonging to the Estate of *Nicholas Haynes* deceased, to be sold at the House where the said Deceased lived, at publick Vendue, on Thursday next the 19th Instant, by

Mary Haynes, Executrix.

Just imported in the *Nancy*, Capt. *Gould* from *London*, buttons, tacks, 4, 5, 6, 10, 20, 30, and 40 *d.* nails and spikes, files, rasps, spades, iron pots, locks, shoe-knives, cane handles, knitting needles, deep sea, log and hand lines, house and marline, from half minute to 2 hour glasses, cordage, cotton and wool cards, shoe thread, twine, brown roles, oznaburghs, 7-8th, 7-8th, and yard wide garlix, tandems, hollands, checks, callicoes, hats, gloves, *French* spelling books and grammars, new fashion'd ribbands, and many more Articles too tedious to mention, to be sold at Mr. *William Gibbs*'s in *Elliott-street*, by

Robert Cullyat.

Imported in the *Nancy*, Capt. *Gould* from *London*, Bohea, fine Green and Hyson Tea, with an Assortment of Goods proper for the Season, and to be sold at very reasonable Rates, by

William Wedderburn.

TO BE SOLD by the Subscriber, a Lott in *Ashley-ferry*, adjoining to that of Mr. *Gordon*, and a choice parcel of strong snuff and pigtail imported in the *Nancy* Capt. *Gould* from *London*,

John Wetherly, jun.

TO BE SOLD by the Subscriber, a Parcel of Oznabrughs, some pieces of coarse Callicoes, some ermin Furr for Mens Jackets, broad Cloths, a parcel Cannon Shot from one to nine Pounders, also some coarse Salt, by

Isaac Motte.

A Ring with Keys and a Seal, lately found, may be had again of the Printer hereof. As also two Rings with Keys found up the Path some Time ago.

THE Anniverſary Meeting of *St. Andrew's* Club, will be held at Mr. *Thomas Blyth's* in *Charles-Town*, on Monday the 30 Inſtant.

By Order of the Hon. *John Cleland*, Eſq; Preſident,

John Rattray, Secr.

From the little Regard that has been paid to Advertiſements, I have very ſeldom made the cuſtomary Uſe of them.

But for once I look upon myſelf (in Juſtice) obliged to give this publick Notice, to all Perſons indebted to *Pringle* and *Reid*, to *Reid* and *Kennan*, and to *James Reid*, to come and ſettle Accompts to Satisfaction, on or before the 25th Day of *March* next, or expect to have them put in Suit.

And as none can ſay, I have been wanting in Lenity of Indulgence, ſo I hope they will ſave themſelves the Charges, and prevent the Execution of what is needful, however diſagreable to

Their humble Servant.

James Reid.

N.B. I received a Box marked B B from Capt. *Bellegarde*, by Miſtake for his Excellency Governor *Tinker*. Any Perſon properly claiming the ſame may have it again. And above 12 Months ago was ſtolen or ſtrayed, a light bay Horſe, about 7 Years old and 13 hands high, marked on the Mounting Shoulder with a Flower de Luce downwards thus ⚜. Whoever delivers him ſhall have a proper Reward, and thoſe that detain him after this Notice may expect to be ſued, as ſoon as it's known to

James Reid.

TO BE DUN for, at *Parker's* Ferry, on the 22d of *December* next, a Silver Tankard, Value 100 *l.* one Mile 3 Heats, the loweſt Horſe to carry 130 *lb.* and all above Weight for Inches, no Horſes excepted. A pair of Silver Spurs, Value 15 *l.* by two Horſes, the Quarter; alſo a Caſe of faſhionable Piſtols, by 2 or 3 Horſes, as they can agree. Every Horſe to be entered 10 Days before the Race, at the ſaid Ferry, where the Plate may be ſeen. And, a Foot-Race 100 Yards, by any two Gentlemen, for a Silver Ladle, Value 15 *l.*

Stephen Marreauld.

LOST at *Monck's* Corner, a black Mare, branded on the Mounting ſhoulder IL, on the mounting Buttock 3 and on the off Buttock O. And from *Charles-Town* Green, a dark grey Gelding, about 13 Hands and an half high, branded S8 on the mounting ſhoulder. Whoever brings the ſaid Horſe to the Sign of the Sloop in *King-ſtreet*, ſhall have 5 *l.* Reward of

William Smith.

Who has good ſalted Beef to ſell.

Stolen or ſtray'd from Mr. *Hume's* Paſture, up the Path, a grey Horſe about 13 Hands and an half high, bow cut Main, branded I upon his mounting Buttock. Whoever takes him up, or gives Intelligence to Mr. *Steil* Merchant on the Bay in *Charles-Town*, where he may be had again, ſhall receive 5 *l.* Reward.

To be Sold,

At publick Vendue, on Friday the 4th of *December* next,

At Mr. *Thomas Butler's* near the *Quarter-Houſe*,

A PARCEL of choice Slaves. The Conditions will be made known at the Sale, which will begin preciſely at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, by

Richard Butler.

CAMBRICKS, Lawns, Fans, Necklaces, Ribbands, callicoes, cotton gowns, womens and girls leather and calimanco ſhoes, mens and boys caſtor and felt hats, ſtrip'd and check'd linnens, ginghams, mens and womens black and white glaz'd gloves and mittens, black a-la-mode, hatband crape, ſhoe and knee buckles, knives of different ſorts, tacks, awls, corks, cotton and wool cards, mens and womens worſted hoſe, ſalt petre, toys and marbles, white blue and green negro cloth, pins, needles, ſcizars, mens and boys worſted caps, ſealing wax, and ſundry other articles, to be ſold very reaſonable, at their Houſe next to Meſſrs. *Smith & Palmer's* in *Broad-ſtreet*, by

Martha & Mark Anthony Beſſelieu.

☞ At the ſame Houſe a *French* and *Engliſh* Day School continues to be kept as uſual; where ſewing is alſo taught in the neateſt Manner by *Martha Beſſelieu.*

FOUND by a Negro, two Gold Rings. Any Perſon claiming and deſcribing the ſame, may have them again, paying the Advertiſement, and applying to

Francis Guichard.

WHEREAS *Rawlins Lowndes*, Proveſt Marſhal of this Province, in purſuance of a Writ of Attachment to him directed, did attach all the Monies, Goods, Chattels, Debts and Books of Accompts belonging to *Thomas Sumner* reſiding and being without the Limits of this Province, which were in the Hands, Cuſtody and Poſſeſſion of Doctor *Frederick Holzendorfe*; in order to make the ſaid *Thomas Sumner* a Party in his Majeſty's Court of Common Pleas in Charles-Town, before the Juſtices thereof, on the firſt Tueſday in *October* laſt, to anſwer to the Demands of *John McKenzie* jun.

AND whereas the ſaid *John McKenzie*, hath, this 9th Day of *November* 1747, filed his Declaration againſt the ſaid *Thomas Sumner*, in the Office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas in Charles-Town, a Copy whereof is poſted upon the Priſon-Houſe in Charles-Town, with a ſpecial Order of Court under-written thereon, 'ORDERING, *That the Defendant do plead to the Action within a Year and a Day, or Judgment by Default.*' Theſe are therefore to give Notice, That in Caſe the ſaid *Thomas Sumner* do not appear and make his Defence in the ſaid Action, on or before the 9th Day of *November* which will be in the Year of our Lord 1748, final and abſolute Judgment will then be given and awarded againſt him, according to the Form and Effect of an Act of the General Aſſembly of this Province in that Caſe lately made and provided. *November 9th* 1747.

TO BE SOLD, a Tract of Land at *Black-River*, below *Williamſburgh* Townſhip Line, containing 300 Acres, one half good for Corn or Indigo, the other for Rice.

One other Tract upon *Cedar-Creek* on the North Side of *Santee-River*, 400 Acres whereof is fit for damming.

One other Tract, joining the above, containing 500 Acres, very good Rice Land.

And another Tract on *Wiltau-Leak*, containing about 360 Acres, all River Swamp, adjoining ſome Land belonging to Mr. *Kinloch*.

Any Perſon or Perſons inclinable to purchaſe either of the ſaid Tracts of Land, may treat with the Subſcriber, at his Plantation on the North Side of *Santee-River*, about Three Miles from Mr. *Dupont's* Ferry.

Abraham Milhou, ſen.

To be Sold by the Subſcribers, a Plantation at *Waſſamſaw*, containing 500 Acres, all high or low ſwamp Land, excepting about 50 Acres of Pine Land; there is upon it a good and large Dwelling-houſe, a very large Barn and Corn Houſe, and many other convenient Buildings, a Rice Field of about 50 Acres all damm'd in, and a large Reſervoir juſt above it, a good Garden, Orchard, and extraordinary good Paſture; all the Land that is ſtill uncleared (which is above half the Tract) is high Beach extraordinary good for Indigo.

Two other Tracts joining the above, one containing 310 Acres, all good Swamp; the other Pine Land, with a Bay Swamp wherein is a choice Rice Field of 100 Acres.

One other Tract upon *Four-Hole* Swamp, containing 1515 Acres, about 1000 of it choice Lightwood, and the Remainder all Rice Swamp with a great Quantity of fine Cedar Trees upon it.

Any Perſon inclin'd to purchaſe the ſaid Plantation, or either of the other Tracts of Land, may have them at a very low Price, treating with me at my Plantation at *Santee*.

Peter Pember.

TO BE SOLD at publick Vendue, on Thurſday the 10th of *December* next, at the Houſe of Mrs. *Langley* at *Dorcheſter*, a very good Houſe-Wench and two Children. Credit will be given 'till the firſt of *March* next, paying Intereſt and giving Security if required, by

Algernon Wilſon.